



**THE CROWN SUITS (SERVICE MOTOR-VEHICLES)
EMERGENCY REGULATIONS 1942**

C. L. N. NEWALL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of
September, 1942.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to the Emergency Regulations Act, 1939, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby make the following regulations.

REGULATIONS.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Crown Suits (Service Motor-vehicles) Emergency Regulations 1942.

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, the expression "service motor-vehicle" means a motor-vehicle within the meaning of the Motor-vehicles Act, 1924, of which His Majesty is the owner within the meaning of that Act, or which is being used for the purposes of any of His Majesty's naval, military, or air forces.

3. These regulations apply to every cause of action against His Majesty under the Crown Suits Amendment Act, 1910,* in respect of any damage, loss, or injury sustained or alleged to have been sustained by or through or in connection with the use of any service motor-vehicle.

4. For the purpose of determining the existence of a cause of action to which these regulations apply, any member of any of His Majesty's naval, military, or air forces who is at any time in charge of any service motor-vehicle shall, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in section 5 of the Crown Suits Amendment Act, 1910, be deemed to be a servant of His Majesty acting at that time within the scope of his authority in relation to that motor-vehicle.

5. Where the amount claimed in respect of any cause of action to which these regulations apply does not exceed £500, the claim may be commenced, heard, and determined in a Magistrates' Court, in like manner as in suits between subject and subject, and in all other respects, and so far as applicable, the provisions of Part II of the Crown Suits Act, 1908†, shall apply to the claim.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

* See Reprint of Statutes, Vol. II, page 566.

† See Reprint of Statutes, Vol. II, page 557.